

HADLEIGH URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

Annual Report of the Medical Officer of Health
for the 12 months ended 31st December, 1947.1. General Statistics.

Area. (acres) 4,288.
 Population (estimated) 2,857.
 Number of Inhabited Houses (estimated) 934.
 Rateable Value £11,173.
 Product of a penny rate. No. 1 District £40
 No. 2 District £7
 Total £47.

11. Extracts from Vital Statistics.

Births. The number of births registered during the year was 50 (males 22, females 28). The birth-rate calculated to a population of 2,857 is 17.5 per thousand as compared with 20.5 for England and Wales.

Deaths. The number of deaths registered in and transferred to this district was 37 (males 17, females 20). The death-rate calculated to a population of 2,857 is 12.9; the rate for England and Wales being 12.0.

Infant Mortality. 4 children died under the age of one year.

111. Sanitary Circumstances of the Area.

Water Supply. 14 further connections to the water mains were made during the year making the total number of houses now connected 634.

Sewerage. 12 further connections to the sewers were made making the total number of houses now connected 555.

Sanitary Inspection of the Area. Visits of inspection 218.
 Informal notices served 12.
 Informal notices complied with 9.

Salvage. Approximately $6\frac{1}{2}$ tons of waste paper etc were collected and disposed of.

1V. Prevalence of and control
over Infectious Diseases.

The deaths caused by the following diseases during the year were:-

Cancer 3.
 Pneumonia 1.
 Other causes 33.

V. Notifiable Diseases
(other than Tuberculosis).

	<u>Admitted to Hospital.</u>	<u>Deaths.</u>
Paratyphoid 2.....	2.....	-.
Pneumonia 4.....	-.....	-.
Erysipelas 1.....	-.....	-.

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